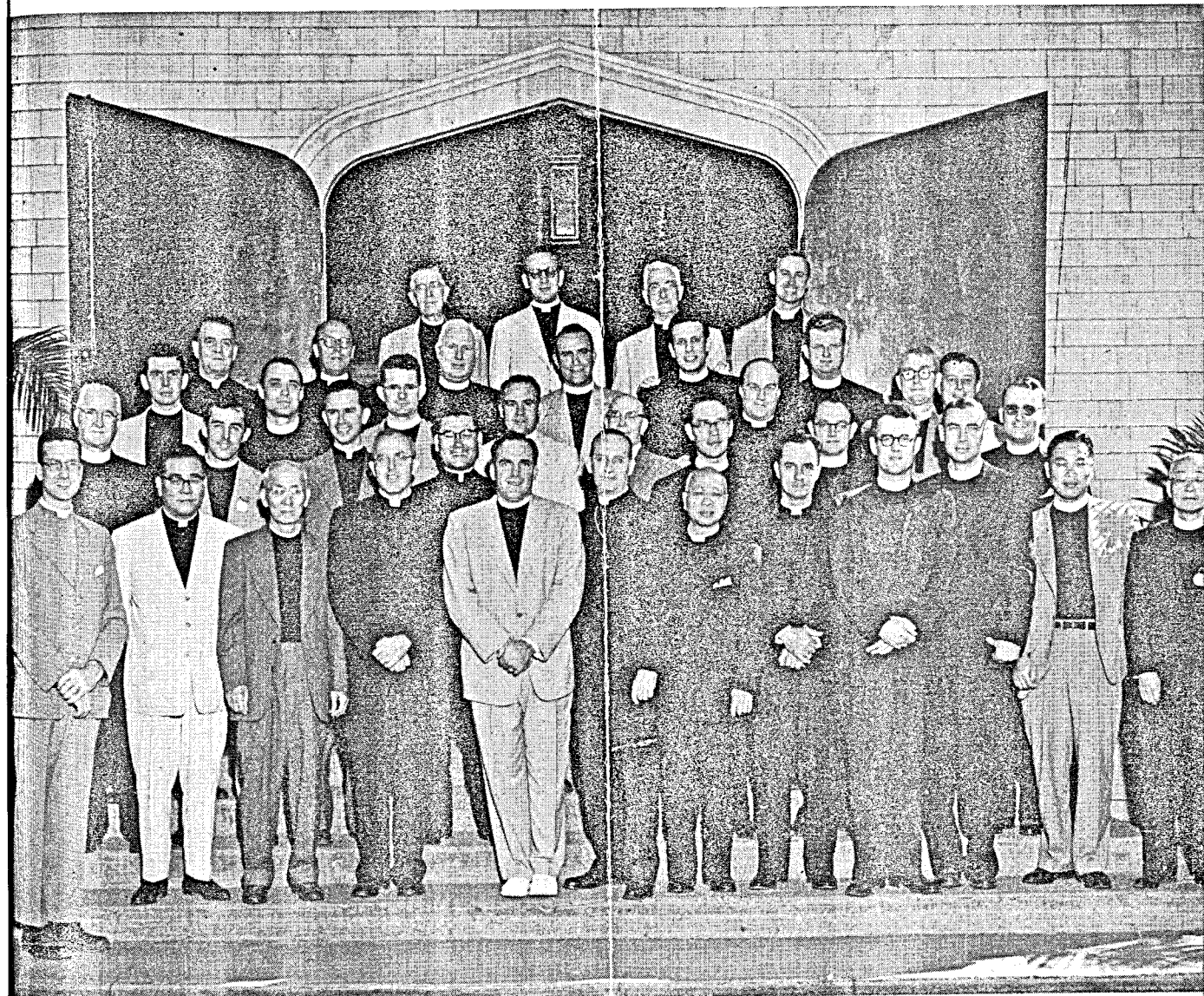


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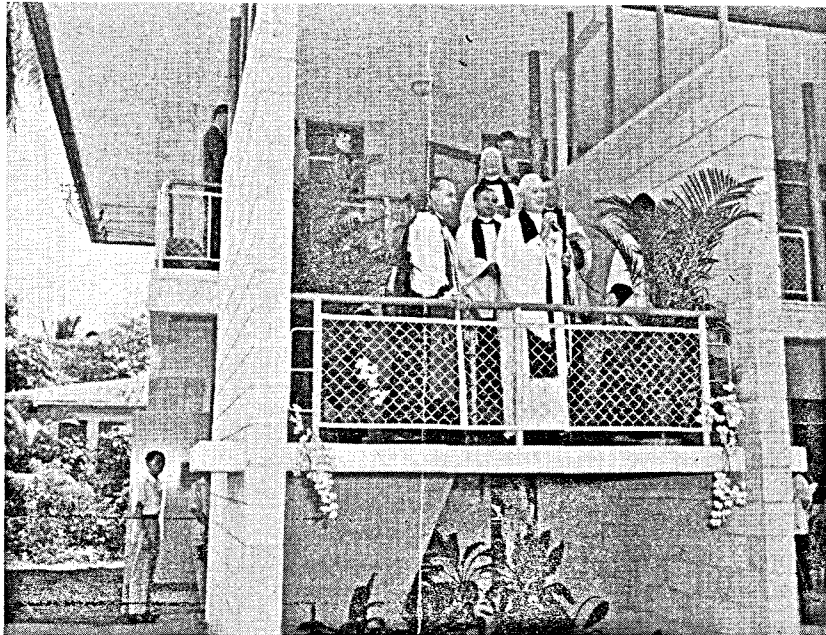
THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN HAWAII

MARCH, 1953



## OUR CLERGY

Front row, left to right: The Rev. Messrs: Samuel N. McCain, Jr., Lawrence H. Ozaki, Philip T. Fukao (retired), Richard U. Smith, David C. Coughlin, The Bishop, Wai On Shim, Norman C. Ault, Burtis M. Dougherty, J. Allen Downey, Theodore T. Y. Yeh, Benjamin Ikezawa (retired). Second row: Edmund L. Souder, Kenneth T. Cosbey, E. Lani Hanchett, James S. Nakamura, Joseph Turnbull, Burton L. Linscott, Evans Scroggie. Third row: Richard M. Trelease, Jr., Charles A. Parmiter, Jr., Claude F. DuTeil, Keith Kreitner, J. Miller Horton (retired), J. Robert Jones, William R. F. Thomas. Fourth row: E. Percy Bartlam, Norman R. Alter, Frederick A. McDonald, John R. Caton, William R. Grosh, Robert H. Challinor. Back row: C. Fletcher Howe (retired), Robert Sheeran, Paul R. Savanack, John J. Morrett.



The Rev. Canon Frederick A. McDonald, St. Clement's Church, welcomes the large number of those present for the dedication service of the new Church School building. The Bishop, the Rev. Keith Kreitner, the Rev. C. Fletcher Howe, and the Rev. H. A. Derby are seen on the balcony with Canon McDonald.

### Church School Building Dedicated

St. Clement's Church may well be proud of the very beautiful new Church School Building that has just been dedicated. Services were held on Sunday, March 22nd, with the Bishop officiating, assisted by the Reverend Canon Frederick A. McDonald, Rector, the Reverend Keith Kreitner, Curate, and the Reverend C. Fletcher Howe.

As each room was dedicated, responses were made by the following people: Mrs. C. Montague Cooke, Jr., Mrs. Lloyd Sexton, Mr. George Gray, Mr. Thomas Major, Miss Margaret Broderick, Mr. Thomas C. Major, Mr. William Fraser, Mrs. Edouard R. L. Doty. As the apartment for the Sexton and his wife was blessed, they read the responses. The Rev. and Mrs. Keith Kreitner did the same when their apartment was blessed.

The building is beautifully equipped for the pleasure of the children. It is up-to-the-minute in furnishings and equipment. It was completed at a cost of \$70,000.

A plaque, commemorating the seventeen year rectorship of the Reverend E. Tanner Brown, D.D., was unveiled at the 11:30 parish family service, held immediately before the dedication service. Wording on the plaque reads:

In gratitude for the Ministry of  
Edward Tanner Brown, D.D.  
Priest  
Rector of St. Clement's Parish  
1931 - 1948

### Appointed Dean of St. Andrew's Cathedral

In accordance with the Statutes of the Cathedral Church of St. Andrew of the City and Missionary District of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, Article III, Section 1, the Bishop announced the appointment of The Reverend Canon Richard Mitchell Trelease, Jr., Dean of St. Andrew's Cathedral, on Palm Sunday.

Dean Trelease has been rector of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish for the past two years. He came to Hawaii in 1945 as Curate of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish. Two years later he went to Kailua, Oahu, where he took over the Mission, St. Christopher's. He built the new Church there, and brought it to parish status. He was then called as rector of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish.

Dean Trelease has been Diocesan Director of Youth since coming to the Islands. He has taken three Youth Caravans to our General Conventions on the mainland, and has done an outstanding work as director of our summer camp.

We all rejoice in the honor that has come to him through this appointment as Dean of the Cathedral. He is the second rector to be so honored. The other was the late Dean William Ault.

### Made Honorary Canon of Cathedral

The Rev. Wai On Shim, Rector of St. Elizabeth's Church, Honolulu, has been named by the Bishop, and elected by the Cathedral Chapter, an honorary Canon of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Honolulu.

Canon Shim has done an outstanding work as priest in

this missionary field. He came to Honolulu from China as a small boy with his parents. His father started the mission, St. John's, at Kula, Maui. After his father's death, his mother carried on the work there. Canon Shim has always maintained an interest in this mission, going to the people there when they were without a Vicar, and holding services for them.

He was a graduate of Iolani School, as was his son, Walton, who is now studying medicine at Dartmouth, where he was just recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic fraternity.

Canon Shim brought his little mission, St. Elizabeth's to parish status, and just last year, on Palm Sunday, saw the completion of his dream for this parish, when the beautiful new church he now serves was dedicated.

We rejoice that this honor has been bestowed upon him. He is on the Board of Directors of the Diocese and also the Board of Governors of Iolani School.

### **Bishop Leaves On Far East Trip**

The Bishop left on Palm Sunday night for his official visit to the Chaplains of the Episcopal Church, who are stationed in the Far East, and to visit our work in Okinawa, Wake, Midway, and Guam. Our National Church has also asked him to go to Formosa to see what plans can be made for the establishment of the Church's work there. In connection with this, he will confer with the Right Reverend H. O. Hall, Bishop of Hong Kong.

At the request of the military, the Bishop will be in Korea to conduct services for the troops on Easter Day. He will have a sunrise service for the First Marine Division and then be flown by helicopter to the Air Wing Division for a service. In the afternoon or evening he will hold services for the Seventh Division. Clearance for his official visit has been granted through General Mark Clark.

While in Tokyo, the Bishop will attend the meeting of the Synod. He will confer with the Most Reverend Michael H. Yashiro, Presiding Bishop of Japan, and other Japanese bishops, who are very much interested in our work in Okinawa, and who graciously have been assisting our work there by sending priests, theological students, and lay workers to help with the work. He will also have an opportunity to visit with the Reverend William Heffner, one of our clergy from Okinawa, who is now in Tokyo taking further study of the Japanese language.

On the Sunday he is in Hong Kong he will preach at St. John's Cathedral. He will hold conferences in all the places he visits our chaplains, taking confirmations for them and conducting any services they wish him to. He will also visit all the military hospitals. He will go to Manila to confer with chaplains there.

The Bishop will be gone eight weeks.



Barbara Elizabeth Thoma, granddaughter of the Rev. E. Tanner Brown, unveils plaque honoring his rectorship at St. Clement's Church as her mother, Mrs. David Thoma, looks on with pride.

### **Easter Message of the Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church**

Eternal life is the gift of God. Here is a statement which runs counter to the mood and the conviction of many people. Some moderns would say that eternal life is our inalienable right as human beings, others would declare that eternal life is something we earned for ourselves. We are self-made heirs of God. Thus to many, Eastertide carries no note of overwhelming joy or of profound gratitude.

To the true Christian, however, the great experiences of life to which he responds are not rights, or just rewards, they are the gifts of God. The world of nature, the beauty of the rose, or of the sunset, life, natural endowment, family—to mention only a few, these are constant causes of thanksgiving. There is a sense of wonder and of humility. Especially is this true at Easter. Despite all our failure and weakness, in the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, God has opened unto us the gates of everlasting life. In humble gratitude we rededicate ourselves, as with joy we repeat the old but ever new message, "The Lord is risen. He is risen indeed."

HENRY KNOX SHERRILL



The Reverend Manu Bennett



Mrs. Manu Bennett

#### TO ASSIST AT HOLY NATIVITY CHURCH

Desiring to come to Honolulu for further study, The Rev. Manu Bennett has obtained permission from his Anglican Bishop to study for a year in Hawaii. He was ordained priest of the Church of England in 1946, in the Province of New Zealand. He was Pastor of the Rangitikei-Manawatu Maori Pastorate in the Diocese of Wellington, New Zealand, from February 1946 to December 1951, and Pastor of the Wellington Maori Pastorate in the same Diocese from February 1952 up to the present time. He and his wife will come to Honolulu in June. He will assist the Rev. John J. Morrett, at Holy Nativity Church, for a year. We shall welcome them with our warm Aloha.

#### United Thank Offering Ingathering

The spring ingathering of the United Thank Offering will be held in all of our churches on April 26th. It is the hope of the Bishop that this offering will be the largest we have had. When we realize that good that has come to our work in Hawaii through the gracious giving of our National Church, through the United Thank Offering, we feel sure that our women will wish to share generously in return. This past year, alone, we received \$5000 for Calvary Mission, to help with the building program; \$10,000 for St. Elizabeth's new Church building; and \$7000 to help with the wiring of St. Andrew's Priory.

**WOMEN, DO YOU HAVE YOUR BLUE BOX?** If not, get one from your Auxiliary President, or from Mrs. Willard Buscher, Diocesan Chairman of the United Thank Offering.

#### To Attend Synod of 8th Province

May 5th and 6th are the dates on which the Synod of the 8th Province will be held. Meetings will be held at Grace Cathedral, San Francisco, with the Right Rev. Karl Morgan Block, Bishop of California, as host.

The Rev. and Mrs. William R. Grosh, Mrs. Florence Judd, Diocesan Chairman of the Altar Guild, and head of Christian Education at St. Andrew's Cathedral, and Mr. John Harding, who will represent the Laymen's League, will be in attendance.

#### Annual Mite Box Service To Be Held

Sunday, April 19th, the children of our churches on Oahu will hold their annual Mite Box Service at St. Andrew's Cathedral. The Reverend Canon Frederick A. McDonald, rector of St. Clement's Church, will give the address to the children. The following clergy will assist with the service: The Rev. Messrs: Richard M. Trelease, Jr., Claude F. DuTeil, and Burton L. Linscott. Mr. William Thaanum will be organist. Following the service, the children will be served ice cream and cookies. This is one of the great services of the year, and is something that all our people should see. It will start at 3:30 p.m.

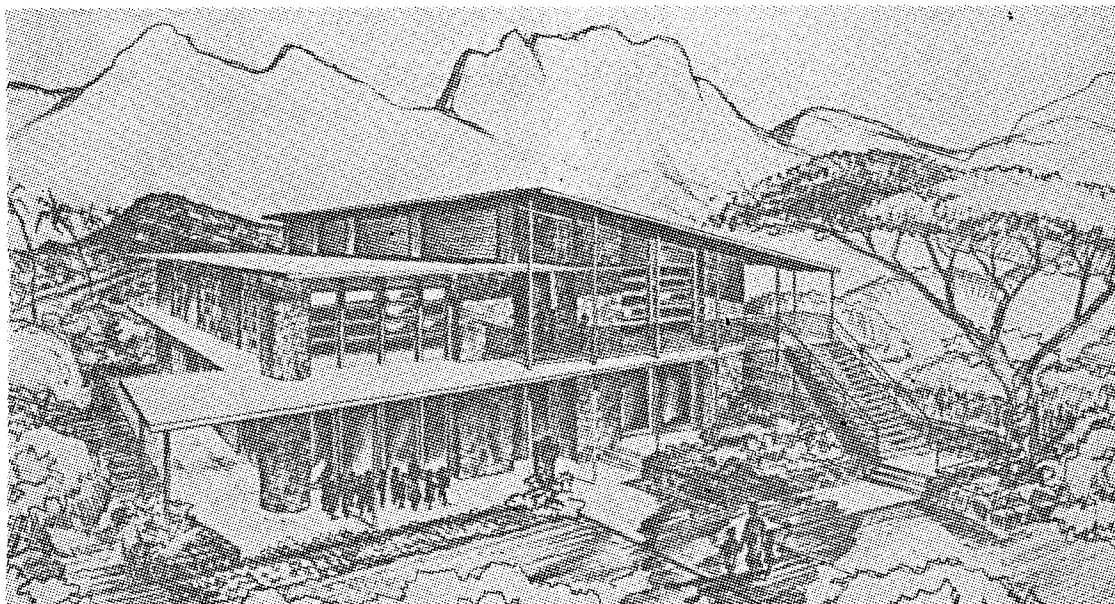
#### Presiding Bishop To Visit Here

The Right Reverend Henry Knox Sherrill and Mrs. Sherrill will come to Hawaii some time in August, enroute to the Far East, where he will visit our work, here, in Japan, the Philippines, Okinawa, and also our chaplains stationed in the Far East. He will go to Korea to be with the chaplains and troops.

We are looking forward to his visit with keen anticipation. He plans to stay in Hawaii long enough to see something of the work here and to confer with our clergy. He plans to visit all of our Islands, if possible.

Bishop Sherrill will also go to Formosa so that he may have a picture of the work we hope to establish there.





**NEW PROPOSED EPIPHANY DAY SCHOOL**

Expanding in the fine work that is being done at the Epiphany Day School, it has been found necessary to build a new classroom building. Work on this has begun, and classes will be held in the new building next September. The plans have been drawn by Lemmon and Freeth, Architects. Cost of the building will be approximately \$55,000.

### **Camp Dates**

The Very Rev. Richard M. Trelease, Jr., Dean of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish, and Diocesan Chairman for Youth Work, announces the following dates for our Summer Camps, to be held at Mokuleia:

June 14-26—Ages 8 and 9

June 28-July 10—Ages 8 and 9

July 12-July 24—Ages 10 and 11

July 26-August 7—Ages 12, 13, and 14.

Plans are well under way for the camping periods, and a fine staff has been chosen. Any who wish to send children to Camp should get applications in at once. Because of the popular demand for camp, we have had to extend the camp periods to eight weeks. We hope this will give all children an opportunity to attend.

### **Help With Camp**

Iolani School and St. Andrew's Priory have been very generous in helping with our camp program. At Christmas the boys of the Lower School at Iolani, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Charles Street, principal, gave a "white gift" to our camp at Mokuleia, which meant many cans of fruit juice, fruits, vegetables, etc. for the summer camps. During Lent the girls at the Priory had this as their project, and many more cans were added to the shelves of our camp kitchen. This is a tremendous help to us. The children of Epiphany Day School and St. Clement's Day School also assisted with the project, by bringing canned goods at Thanksgiving time.

The Bishop wishes to thank all the children who assisted with the project.

### **Sister Winifred Welcomed Back**

Sister Winifred Agnes, former head of the religious education department at St. Andrew's Priory, arrived in Honolulu by Pan American airlines, 8:30 Wednesday morning, Feb. 4. She has come to help in the administration of St. Andrew's Priory.

Previous to her arrival, Sister Winifred was in charge of St. Monica's House and principal of St. Joseph's elementary school in Lockland, Ohio. During her principality at St. Joseph's school, she expanded it from four grades to its present standard, kindergarten to the eighth grade.

Sister Winifred first arrived at the priory during the summer of 1944. Besides being head of the religious education department, she often assisted in the business office. She remained here until the close of school in 1948, when she was replaced by Sister Evelyn Ancilla who, at that time, was principal of St. Joseph's school.

Before coming to the Priory in 1944, Sister Winifred had been the principal of Bethany Home school, Glendale, Ohio.

Sister Winifred's stay here at the Priory is for an indefinite length of time.

### **Welcome Son**

The Rev. and Mrs. David Coughlin are the parents of a new son, Michael, born March 5th. The Rev. Mr. Coughlin is in charge of our work at Pearl Harbor. Michael is their third child. We congratulate them all and welcome Michael with our Aloha.



**HOME NURSING COURSE AT ST. ANDREW'S PRIORY**  
Being sick is fun when you have as much attention as is being shown this young student at St. Andrew's Priory. Their supervisor, Miss Lucille Metcalf, is showing them how to serve a meal to a patient.

### **The Tanner Browns To Return To The Islands**

The Rev. and Mrs. E. Tanner Brown plan to sail on May 16th for Hawaii, aboard the Lurline. They will be in the rectory at St. John's-by-the-Sea during the furlough period of the Reverend and Mrs. William R. Grosh, Vicar of the Mission, who plan to sail April 28th for the mainland. The Rev. Mr. Brown will supply for him during his absence, taking the services at St. Matthew's Church, Waimanalo, as well.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Brown will be delighted to have them in Hawaii. We look forward to their arrival.

### **To Attend Laymen's Training Course**

Mr. John Harding, a laymen of St. Clement's Church, Honolulu, will go to El Rancho del Obispo, Healdsburg, California, May 9th and 10th, to take the training course given under the auspices of the Presiding Bishop's Committee for Laymen, of which the Director of Promotion, Mr. Robert Jordan, is chairman. He is trained at the expense of the National Church.

Mr. Harding has been active in the Laymen's League, and has done an exceptionally fine piece of work. We are delighted that he can represent us at this Training Conference. The National Church has requested that a man who has not attended any previous meeting be sent to California, so that new faces and new strength may be added to the lay participation of our Church's work.

### **Governor King Inaugurated**

The inauguration of Samuel Wilder King as Governor of Hawaii was one of the most colorful events in the Islands. Mrs. King, the very gracious and attractive wife of the governor, was a former student of St. Andrew's Priory. She is a member of the Hawaiian Congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral.

The Bishop gave the blessing for the inauguration service.

### **To Enlarge Rectory**

Members of the congregation of Good Samaritan Mission are greatly concerned about the small rectory now occupied by the Vicar, the Rev. James S. Nakamura, and his family. With five children, they feel it is not adequate for them. They are quite right—it is not. They are now planning to enlarge the rectory by adding more rooms. We sincerely hope that this can be done in the near future.

### **Further Building Program For Iolani School**

In addition to the new classroom building that is now under construction at the Ala Wai property of our Iolani School, a new rectory, faculty housing unit, and garage will soon be erected. The contract for these has been let, and work will start immediately. Cost of the buildings will be \$89,127.

Plans are now under way to move the entire school to the Ala Wai property by September. The property at Nuuanu Avenue has been sold to the Congregational Church, where headquarters for the Church will be established. The Hawaiian Board of Missions has already moved to the Nuuanu site.

### **News From Okinawa**

The Reverend Stephen E. T. Kim and his family are now settled in Nago, where he is conducting services. We hope soon to build a rectory and small chapel, so that work can go forward in this area. The Rev. Mr. Kim writes that they are very happily situated, and that the people are very fine and responsive.

An old warehouse at Nago has been converted into a Chapel—St. John's—and according to the Rev. Norman Godfrey "is as beautiful as a cathedral with Mrs. Judd's and Mrs. Tallant's offerings from the Diocesan Altar Guild."

In our mission at Mihara a beautiful sterling silver baptismal bowl has been given in memory of the Rev. William Heffner's father, Edgar Heffner, who died recently.

Some of the children's Mite Box Offering is going to help a blind man at Shimabukoro so that he can have an operation for the removal of cataracts. A young GI, a first class private, hearing of the man's trouble, gave \$50 of his own pay to help with the operation, showing that he has truly caught the spirit of the work of our missionaries in Okinawa. It was nearly half of the amount of the operation—\$130.

## Chester Edwin Frowe Dies

Mr. Chester E. Frowe, a member of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish, and on the Diocesan Committee of Church Architecture, died March 24th, at his home. He had been in failing health for many months due to heart trouble. He died quietly in his sleep.

A former potentate of Aloha Temple of the Mystic Shrine, he took a tremendous interest in the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children, and only the Saturday before he had visited the hospital with a Hi-Y group of teen-agers from Punahou, who entertained the young patients.

He had been a former member of the Vestry at St. Andrew's Cathedral, and took a keen interest in the upkeep of the Church buildings. He was chairman for the committee of Church Architecture and was tremendously interested in the new church buildings we have erected in the Diocese the past few years. He was Safety Engineer for Castle and Cooke, Ltd. and safety consultant for American Factors, Ltd.

Our deep sympathy is extended to his wife, Mrs. Margaret Frowe, who is well known throughout the Islands as a lecturer and authority on Hawaiiana, and who is also a devoted member of the Church. His loss will be keenly felt in the community and the Church.

## Lay Reader Called By Death

Mr. Alex Glade, our devoted Lay Reader on Midway, died very suddenly on March 1st. He had been ill only a short time with pneumonia. He was buried in California. Mr. Glade had been a civilian worker for the United States Navy, and while stationed on Midway has conducted weekly services for our people on the Island. He was commended highly by Navy officials for the fine service he was rendering not only our Episcopal Church members, but all the people on Midway, for his devotion in seeing that religious services were provided for them. He also trained a choir for the services.

Mr. Glade is survived by his daughter in California, and by his cousins Mr. Herman V. von Holt, Mrs. Robert White, and Mrs. Henry Caldwell, in Honolulu.

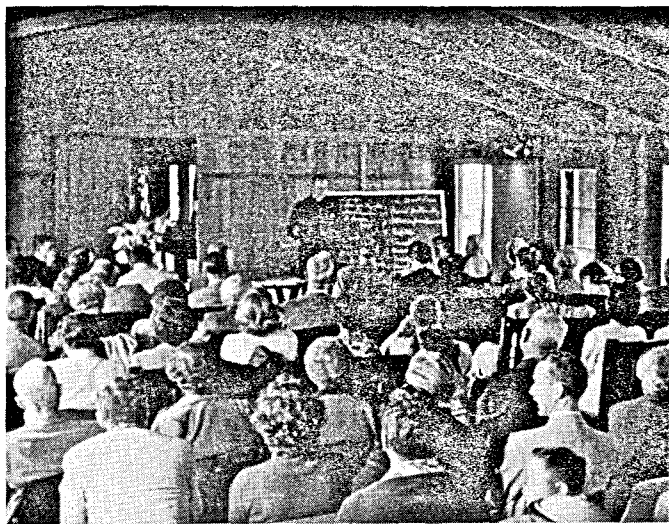
His passing is a great loss to the work of our Church.

## Assists With Services

The Right Reverend Thomas Jenkins, Retired Bishop of Nevada, who has been visiting his sons in Honolulu, has been very active in assisting with services in some of our churches. While here he confirmed five of his grandchildren.

## Easter Services On Maui and Molokai

The Reverend C. Fletcher Howe is going to assist the Rev. Norman Ault with his Easter services at St. John's Church, Kula, and the Rev. J. Miller Horton hopes to be well enough at that time to help the Rev. E. Lani Hanchett, take services on Molokai.



The Bishop presents the Church's program in Hawaii at the Island-wide meeting of vestry members, Woman's Auxiliary representatives, and laymen at Kamuela, Hawaii.

## Island-Wide Instruction Meetings

In order that all of our churches may have a wider vision of the work of the Church, the Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy, Mr. Joseph Reed, Diocesan Treasurer, Mr. Thomas Major, Diocesan head of our Laymen's work, and Mrs. William Lin, Diocesan President of the Woman's Auxiliary, have gone to Hawaii and Maui to confer with members of our vestries, officers of the Woman's Auxiliaries, and our laymen's leagues. Over one hundred have been present at each meeting.

Mr. Reed has explained the financial responsibilities of vestries and churches, urging more and more self-support from all our missions and parishes; Mrs. Lin has given a picture of the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, showing where the women can do more to help the individual mission, etc.; Mrs. Kennedy has spoken on the United Thank Offering, showing the great help it has given our work in Hawaii, and urging more and more response from our women in supporting this offering; Mr. Major has spoken on the opportunities open to the men of the Church to make our work more effective; and the Bishop has spoken on the general program of our Church—our needs, our obligations, and our opportunities.

The meetings were opened at about two-thirty in the afternoon, with instruction and question periods. A supper was served to those in attendance, then the instruction period resumed after supper. It has proven to be a most successful venture, for members of the different churches can come together and discuss their problems and receive help in meeting them. It also affords an opportunity for fellowship with members of other churches.

The meeting for those on the Island of Kauai will be held in June.



The health of young students is carefully watched in our Hawaii schools. Here a young patient gets a tooth pulled.

### Army and Navy Center

The Army and Navy Center has kept Mrs. Frank Ronayne very busy of late. It is a real problem each weekend to figure out just were Tom, Dick, and Harry can put his head, when you have 25 or more Toms, Dicks, and Harrys! Were one to visit the Diocesan House on a Saturday or Sunday morning, and didn't know the situation, he would gasp and say, "For pity sakes, what is this?" The dormitories upstairs are full and downstairs boys are on couches, punees, and cots that are put up in the living room, dining room, lanai, and hall. And where there are not enough cots available, boys are quite willing to sleep on a pad on the floor. We can provide for 25 quite comfortably, but when you go beyond that, you really have to do some planning.

Mrs. Ronayne sometimes wearies of the question, "Do you still have young men coming to the Center?" Do we still have them? Every day we have them! They all like Mrs. Ronayne, for she has a grand sense of humor, and she can see their problems and counsel them when they need it. And she can cook the best breakfast you ever ate! It is wonderful to sleep on a Sunday morning, but not when the aroma of breakfast wakens you. Out you jump! Eggs are cooked to order—most of them "over and easy". And the best time for solving all problems is right around the breakfast table. Even helping to wash the

dishes and put things away becomes fun, when you learn to know your buddies from all over the country.

One boy brought two of his buddies in the other day. He was heard to remark to them, "Now you can sleep here all night and it won't cost you a thing. Just think of having a place like this to come to! You get up and go to Church in the morning, then come back and get a good breakfast. Or, if you don't go to the early service, get your breakfast—then go to Church." "Sure," the boys replied, "that's all right. We like to go to Church. Sure—that's just fine."

"Then," the boy went on to say, "You come back for the coffee hour after Church, that is given for all the fellows. They have a YAGS group of young men and women at the Cathedral, and they sure are a good gang. Every Sunday afternoon we do something. We either go swimming, ti leaf skiing, hiking, sight-seeing, or to a concert. Then we come back here and get supper, go to a service, and have a program. Dean Trelease is with us for that. We always have something worthwhile. One of the other clergy will talk to us, or we have a guest speaker. Sometimes we put on our own program—have discussions, etc. But one thing for sure—whatever we do, we have a grand time."

"Ti-leaf skiing?" one of the boys asked. "What on earth is *that*?" "Well, you get a ti-leaf—the same thing the Hawaiian girls make their grass skirts with—put them on a steep hill, sit on them, and let'er go! You may end up a bit muddy, but you sure do have fun!"

The young men welcome the opportunity to enter into the life of the Church. They take part in the services, teach in the Sunday School, sing in the choir, and do anything they can to help the Church—parish or diocesan. There are always some of them in the confirmation classes. And there are none of them who do not appreciate what the Church is doing for them at a difficult time. Tension is relieved as they go forward to Korea. And when they come back, the first thing they want to do is to return to the Center and tell Mrs. Ronayne all that has happened to them during their absence. One cannot evaluate the good the Army and Navy Center does by mere words. You have to be around the young men in service to *see* what it means.

### Registrations Being Taken

Registrations for Iolani School, St. Andrew's Priory, and the Hawaii Episcopal Academy are now being taken. Contact the following regarding tuition, entrance examinations, requirements, etc:

Iolani School—The Rev. Charles A. Parmiter, Headmaster, Nuuanu and Judd Street, Honolulu, Hawaii

St. Andrew's Priory—Sister Lucy Caritas, Principal Queen Emma Square, Honolulu 13, Hawaii

Hawaii Episcopal Academy—Mr. Paul M. Simpson, Headmaster, Kamuela, Hawaii



## **The Reverend Samuel McCain Instituted As Vicar**

Sunday evening, March 1, at 7:00 p.m., "An Office of Institution" was read for the Rev. Samuel Norman McCain, Jr., which officially made him Priest-in-Charge of Christ Church, the R. P. Shapard Memorial, Kilauea, Kauai.

By appointment of the Bishop, the Ven. Norman R. Alter, Archdeacon of Kauai, acted as instituting priest and read the letters from the Bishop to the congregation of Christ Church which are prescribed by the Prayer Book Office.

The Rev. Kenneth T. Cosbey, St. John's Church, Eleele, was the preacher. Mr. John Odan, Senior Warden, gave "the keys of the Church" to Mr. McCain and Mrs. Peter Dias was at the organ.

Following the service the entire congregation adjourned to the Hanalei side of the church where a Samoan cocconut was planted by Mr. McCain, who appropriately expressed hope that both the tree and his ministry would bear fruit in the years to come.

## **Visited Honolulu**

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Sibley stopped in Honolulu Thursday and Friday, March 26th and 27th, enroute to the Philippine Islands and Japan, where they visited the work of the Church, and where Mr. Sibley hoped to visit the work of the Y.M.C.A., as he is President of the National Council of this organization. Mrs. Sibley was recently elected Chairman of the Woman's Planning Committee for the Japan International Christian University Foundation, an organization to help in the development program of the new graduate university, which will open in April in Tokyo. It is in connection with this, that Mrs. Sibley was making her visit.

The many friends of the Sibleys were delighted to have an opportunity to visit with them, even though it had to be brief.

## **Molokai Services**

The Rev. E. Lani Hanchett, Vicar of Holy Innocent's Mission, Lahaina, Maui, is now going regularly to Molokai to hold services for our people there. The people have shown a wonderful spirit, and want very much to get their own property and build a church. They have started a Sunday School and formed a Bishop's Committee. They are enthusiastic and determined that they will go forward. We rejoice that they have taken such an interest in making the progress they have.

## **Episcopal Students At University**

The Episcopal Students at the University of Hawaii are actively at work, under the direction of the Reverend Keith Kreitner. They are holding weekly services and meetings. They are eager, indeed, to find property near the University campus, where they can have a student center of their own.

The students recently held a reception at Hemenway Hall, honoring the Rev. and Mrs. Keith Kreitner. The Rev. Mr. Kreitner is doing part-time work with the students, and is being assisted in this by receiving a grant toward his salary from the Church Society for College Work, Mount St. Alban, Washington, D.C.

## **It's A Great Day For Paint**

We don't know whether it is spring in the air, or just a flare for art, but a new look is to be seen in several places—all due to the wielding of paint brushes. But the interesting note is that all the brushes have been wielded by willing parishioners and not the professional hands of paid laborers.

February 28 and March 1, *Lord's Days for the Lord's work*, the grounds of All Saints' Church, Kapaa, Kauai, were filled with people and cars as the task of repainting the chapel was begun and completed. A first coat was applied the first day on both the inside and outside of the building. On the second day, the second coat was applied to the outside and promptly covered with the sand-treatment, to give the building durability. A coat of stain was also applied to the shingle roof.

The Men of St. Andrew's donned their painting togs and methodically went through the Memorial Building, room by room, until a new look has greatly improved the place. The hall, which used to be somewhat dark, is now quite bright and attractive.

The YAGS (Young Adult Group) of St. Andrew's put in a week-end at Mokuleia, dressing up the Quonset Hut with a coat of paint. It needed it, too!

St. Peter's Church, Honolulu, has a very fresh look with all the pews and floor newly varnished.

Holy Innocents Church, Lahaina, Maui, has been greatly improved by "loving hands at home" in the coat of paint recently given to the inside and outside of the church.

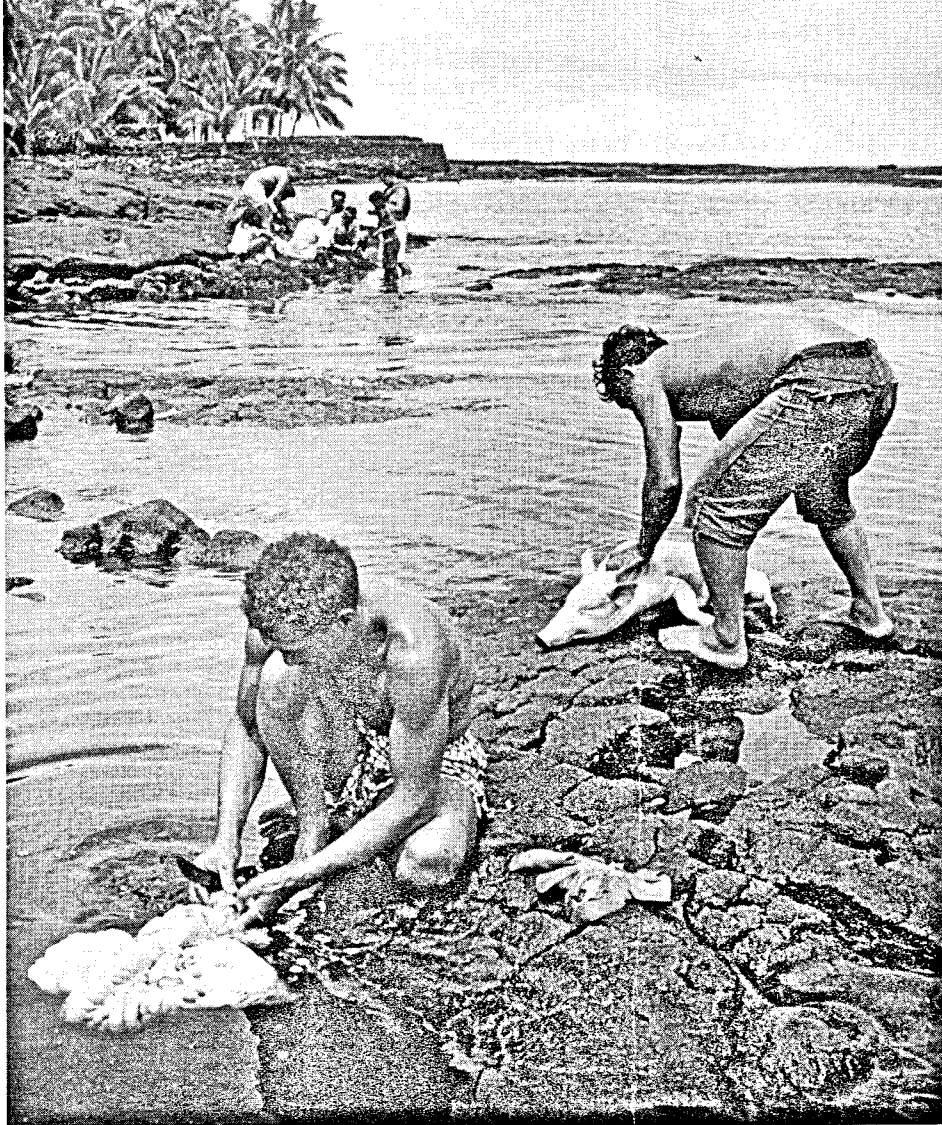
The roofs of the church buildings at St. John's Church, Kula, Maui, have been stained and greatly enhance the appearance of the buildings there.

The writer has always felt that a special little prayer of thanksgiving should be given for the man who invented paint. What a drab world we would have without it—and what a refreshing one we have with it!

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WAR is more terrible than a man's mind can comprehend. It is the corpse of a friend; one moment ago a living human being with thoughts, hopes and a future—just exactly like yourself—now, nothing. It is cities—labor of generations lost—now dusty piles of broken stones and splintered wood—dead. It is the total pain of a hundred million parted loved ones—some for always. And when it is in your mind so strongly that you can never forget, then seek how you can best keep peace.

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Preparing for a luau on the lava rock of Honaunau bay. The pig is cleaned on the same platform used for hundreds of years.

### Would You Like To Help?

The Hawaii Episcopal Academy on Hawaii has some very definite needs. Perhaps you, as an individual, would like to help. Parishes, missions, Auxiliaries, Sunday School Classes, etc., can find a real project is helping with one of the following needs:

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### Our Women At Work

Under the able leadership of Mrs. Richard M. Trelease, Jr., the Workshop on Devotions and Prayer Groups made an outstanding contribution to Convocation. Assisting on the Devotional Program were Mrs. R. E. St. Sure,

Mrs. William Fraser, Mrs. Burton L. Linscott, and Miss Elda Smith, who spoke on Personal Prayer, Concentration on Spiritual content of Devotions, Holy Communion and the Preparation for it, and Formation of Prayer Group, respectively.

The women have been doing an outstanding work in forming new prayer groups, and have made this their emphasis for the year, stressing the fact that the need for prayer is in each one of us; that we can best dedicate ourselves to God through the use of daily prayer, and that our greatest opportunity was in the participation of the Holy Communion service.

It was suggested to the individual auxiliaries that the Devotional Chairman, Mrs. William Fraser, would be pleased to go to them and help with the formation of prayer groups.

The workshops were most helpful in breaking down the discussions so that the women had something to carry back to their Auxiliaries.

## Emily Post and The Prayer Book

From the reports that are going around, some strange things have happened, or at least are requested, at wedding ceremonies.

The main difficulty seems to be that Emily Post has told people how to conduct weddings.

But the standard of the Episcopal Church is the Book of Common Prayer and not the "Bride's Book," or whatever it is called.

Naturally, the Church allows much latitude, but the Church has given directions for the Solemnization of Matrimony for many centuries, and these are official.

Mrs. Post does not outrank the Prayer Book.

There are many excellent managers or directors who make a profession of arranging for funerals and weddings, especially. They are, as a rule, excellent, co-operative and understanding people.

However, they do not always sense the atmosphere of our particular branch of the Church, and probably most of them never read a rubric, nor should be expected to.

This is the clergyman's job.

When any question comes up about the propriety of this or that, the clergyman, trained to the Book of Common Prayer and working under its directions, is and must be the final judge.

The Solemnization of Holy Matrimony has become so often a pagan pageant, even a debauch, that the Church would call our people back to the deep and holy significance of the rite.

BY THE RT. REV. J. M. STONEY, D.D.  
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## My Predecessor

My stars, my predecessor must have been an awful nut,  
Must have been a queer old foggy and as musty as  
King Tut;

For the folks have been telling of his many sad mistakes,  
How the church was nearly ruined by his many foolish  
breaks.

Yes, they say that all his sermons were an idiotic mess,  
And his funny mannerisms were too foolish to express;  
And they say he was so tactless he offended all the folks,  
And he made himself obnoxious by his antiquated jokes.

Then he scolded all the young folks and he got them all  
so sore  
That they wouldn't come to hear him for they thought him  
such a bore;  
And his dress was always funny and his pompadour was  
queer,  
And his trousers lacked the creases and his shoes had dust  
veneer.

Thus I heard the parish shooting at the preacher and his  
wife,  
Heard my predecessors slaughtered with the parish  
butcher knife.  
Now I know the time is hastening when I, too, shall join  
the crowd,  
When the man who follows me will hear my faults  
Proclaimed aloud.

I, too, will face the butcher and they'll carve me up in  
style,  
And my form will be dismembered in that happy  
afterwhile.  
So I muse, and then I purpose not to carp or criticise,  
For I love my predecessor and I surely sympathize.  
THE REVEREND W. L. BONE, *Menlo Park, Calif.*

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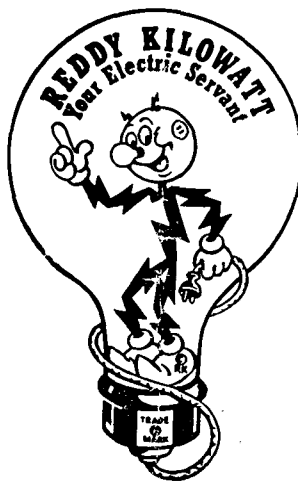
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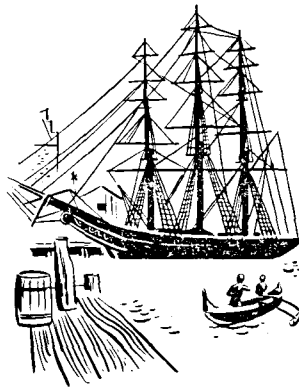
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